

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

Having a free press is one of the hallmarks of a democratic society. We are on the brink of losing one of our most basic rights, and this action is pushing us much closer.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard.

If you believe in preserving our nation as a free society, you will take action to prevent this illegal act.

Thank you.